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FOR:

BOOM STRUCTURE OF CONSTRUCTION MACHINE AND MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF

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REFERENCES

- The applicant(s) wish to make of record the references listed on the attached form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed references are attached, where required, as are either statements of relevancy or any readily available English translations of pertinent portions of any non-English language references.
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RELATED CASES

- Attached is a list of applicant's pending application(s) or issued patent(s) which may be related to the present application. A copy of the patent(s), together with a copy of the claims and drawings of the pending application(s) is attached along with PTO 1449.
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STATEMENT OF RELEVANCY

Reference AO (11-200397) of Form PTO-1449:

This reference discloses a MANUFACTURE OF BOX-SHAPED STRUCTURE FOR CONSTRUCTION-EQUIPMENT WORKING MACHINE.

Reference AP (11-158908) of Form PTO-1449:

This reference discloses a BOOM STRUCTURE OF WORKING MACHINE AND PRODUCTION OF BOOM MEMBER.

Reference AQ (11-21939) of Form PTO-1449:

This reference discloses a BUILT-UP BOX TYPE MEMBER.

Reference AR (7-138975) of Form PTO-1449:

This reference discloses a BOOM OF HYDRAULIC SHOVEL.

Reference AS (6-220881) of Form PTO-1449:

This reference discloses a BOOM STRUCTURE FOR CONSTRUCTION MACHINE OR THE LIKE.

Reference AT (6-220880) of Form PTO-1449:

This reference discloses a BOOM STRUCTURE FOR CONSTRUCTION MACHINE.

Reference AU (4-57542) of Form PTO-1449:

This reference discloses a BOOM STRUCTURE, which is formed by confronting and depositing a rear end of a front block 2, 9 to a front end of a back block 4, 11.

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